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CLERKS FOR CENSUS OFFICE.

Arrangements have been perfected by Dr. Wines, assistant director of the census, for the examination of applicants for positions in the census office.

A room has been secured in the Maltby Building, in Washington, which will accommodate twenty-four applicants at one time, and the examinations will begin in a few days. It has been determined to commence with the applicants from the District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia.

The examinations are to be partly written and partly oral, and will include arithmetic, writing, spelling and composition. Three hours will be devoted to the morning to arithmetic, of which one hour will be allotted to addition and the remaining two to percentage. In the afternoon an hour and a half will be given to writing and spelling, an hour to American history and geography, and half an hour to work on the tabulating machines. The questions will be simple but sufficiently difficult to demonstrate whether the person examined will make a good clerk.

All who pass above seventy will be placed on the eligible list and those who fall below will be ineligible for another examination for ninety days. After a person's name goes on the eligible list his appointment will depend principally on political influence.

There are about five thousand applications now on file.

TAXES LOST TO THE STATE.—Under a decision rendered by Judge Hanchel in Norfolk yesterday the State of Virginia will lose \$90,000 taxes alleged to be due by the estate of the late Dr. Thomas F. Andrews, of Baltimore. Andrews moved away from Norfolk in 1852, and it is claimed never returned to Virginia to reside. He died in Baltimore in 1886, leaving an estate valued at about \$745,000. His two sons and one daughter were the beneficiaries under his will and were also his executors. The will was admitted to probate in Norfolk and the executors qualified in the Norfolk Court, though they continued their residence in Baltimore. No taxes were paid on the estate, consisting of bonds, railroad property, &c., during the period that it was in process of settlement. The commissioner of revenue assessed back taxes, but counsel for the executors claimed that Dr. Andrews was not a resident of this State at the time of his death, nor had he lived in Virginia for a long time previous; the executors were not residents of Virginia, and that none of the property upon which the tax is assessed was ever actually situated in the State.

Judge Hanchel decided the case in favor of the executors on the ground that the beneficiaries and legal owners being non-residents, the State could not tax. The Commonwealth will carry the case to the Supreme Court of Appeals.

PROTECTION FOR WOMEN.—A dispatch from Atlanta, Ga., says: The series of crimes which began with the burning of buildings in Palmetto by incendiaries, the lynching a month later of four Negroes by the whites of that little town in retaliation, to be followed ten days ago by the murder of Alfred Crutcher and the ravishing of his wife, Crutcher, the lynching for which the negro, Samuel Hose, was burned at the stake Monday, has started the people of Georgia and the south into intense interest in the social problems which the crimes reveal.

A discussion of the crimes and the remedy for the lawlessness has reached all circles, and the question of protection for the white women in the sparsely settled farming districts is the topic of the day. Governor Candler says:

"I think the wisest plan for protection will be for the legislature to take up the matter and provide a sufficient State militia and to be expended for a patrol in the country districts."

Attorney-General Griggs, in speaking yesterday of the lynching near Newmarket, said that the case had no racial aspect, and, therefore, the government would take no action whatever in regard to it.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife had been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Ely's Cream Salve, she was wonderfully improved, and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases, quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, and dizziness. This miracle-working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run-down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by E. L. Allen and E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

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Southern mails via Richmond, close at 10:20 a. m. and 3:15 and 8:10 p. m. and 3:45 p. m. Open at 1 p. m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 8:40 a. m. and 4:00 p. m. Open at 9:00 a. m. and 3:30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 2:15 p. m. and 8:10 p. m. Open at 9:00 a. m. and 4:30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8:00 a. m. Close at 6:00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9:00 a. m. Close at 9:30 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collections made on inside routes at 8:30 and 10:00 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. Full route—6:30 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. Sunday collection 5:00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9:00 a. m. and close 9:30 a. m.

Deliveries made 8:00 a. m., 1:00 p. m., and 4:45 p. m.

All mail should be in office ten minutes before hour indicated for closing.

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ap21 1m J. C. MILBURN, Administrator.

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